

REMARKS

By this Amendment, the description on pages 2 and 3 have been amended to correspond to revised claims 1, 15, 16, 23 and 27. In addition, paragraphs which were added to page 4 in Amendment A should be added to page 3. By this Amendment, the paragraphs are added to page 3 and the paragraphs added to page 4 have been cancelled. No new matter is added by these changes.

In the Office Action of August 22, 2005, the Examiner rejected all the claims, except for claims 14, 22 and 25, as being anticipated by U.S. Patent 3,839,820 (Serman, Jr.). While the Examiner has not indicated that claim 29 would be allowable, a rejection of claim 29 does not appear in the Office Action. Claim 29 is a method claim corresponding to claim 25, indicated as being allowable.


Claims 1 and 15 have been amended to include all the features of allowable claim 14, including the subject matter of claims 11 and 12, from which claim 14 depends. Claim 16 has been amended to include all features of allowable claim 22, including the features of claims 19 and 20, from which claim 22 depends. Likewise, claim 23 is amended to include the subject matter of claim 25, including the subject matter of claim 24. Lastly, claim 27 is amended to include the features of allowable claim 29, including the subject matter of claim 28. Claim 30 has been amended so that the preamble recites a method, to be consistent with the preamble of independent claim 29.

The claims are allowable and favorable action is eagerly and earnestly solicited. If any issues remain, and the Examiner

believes a telephone conversation will resolve such issues, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney.

If any fees are due in owing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 08-2455.

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